

PUBLIC HEALTH ACT

(11 & 12 Vict., cap. 63).

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REPORT

TO THE

GENERAL BOARD OF HEALTH,

ON A

FURTHER INQUIRY

AS TO THE BOUNDARIES WHICH MIGHT BE MOST
ADVANTAGEOUSLY ADOPTED

FOR THE DISTRICT OF

NEWMARKET,

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACT.

By GEO. T. CLARK,
SUPERINTENDING INSPECTOR.



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NOTIFICATION.

THE General Board of Health hereby give notice, in terms of section 9th of the Public Health Act, that, on or before the 20th day of April next, being a period of not less than one month from the date of the publication and deposit hereof, written statements may be forwarded to the Board with respect to any matter contained in or omitted from the accompanying Report on the boundaries which might be most advantageously adopted for the District of NEWMARKET, in the County of Cambridge, for the purposes of the Public Health Act; or with respect to any amendment to be proposed therein.

By order of the Board,

HENRY AUSTIN, *Secretary.*

Gwydyr House, Whitehall,

10th March, 1850.

GENERAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

Newmarket, 23rd January, 1851.

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

IN obedience to your instructions I proceeded, on the 22nd inst., in the forenoon, to hold a public meeting at the Rutland Arms Hotel, in this town.

Notice of this meeting was advertized in the Cambridge Chronicle, and Cambridge Independent Press Newspapers of the 4th inst., and was affixed to the usual public places in Newmarket.

This further inquiry was necessary in order to carry into effect the recommendations on the subject of boundary, contained in my report of the 22nd of September, 1849, in which I propose to include in the district of Newmarket, not only the whole of the petitioning parishes of Newmarket St. Mary's and Newmarket All Saints, but parts of the contiguous and non-petitioning parishes of Wood-Ditton and Exning.

The meeting was tolerably well attended, and the details of the proposed Boundary, and the general subject of the application of the Public Health Act to Newmarket, were discussed at some length. The evils of the present system were by several speakers pressed strongly upon, and seemed to be admitted by, the meeting. In the course of the discussion I endeavoured to remove various very incorrect notions which prevailed as to the power and provisions of the Act, and I heard at great length what was advanced against, and in favour of, the proposed Boundary.

In conclusion I have only to repeat the recommendations contained in the 66th paragraph of my report already cited.

I have the honour to be,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

GEO. T. CLARK.

*The General Board of Health,
Gwydyr House.*

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